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VOLUME I.

HOPKINSVILLE, KENTUCKY, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1879.

NUMBER 46.

BUSINESS CARDS.

NEW GOODS.

Mrs. M. E. Rodgers

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standard of scholarship; firm and systematic

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Probably no one preparation has received

so much attention as that of the hair. It is

the pride of the woman, and is the

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Lumber, Laths,

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Mouldings, Newel Rails, Turnings,

and everything in the line of House

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AT 30 PER CENT. LESS

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ever offered in this market, and war-

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PRICES SHALL BE KEPT DOWN.

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SOLICITING PATRONAGE.

and thanking the people of Christian

and adjoining counties for their past

consideration.

I am, respectfully,

M. C. FORBES,

April 1, 1879-11.

COULDN'T TELL A LIE.

One day in childhood's days I took

My father's overcoat,

And on the pond down by the brook.

I'd fasten the like canoes.

Upon the pond how they would fly!

As I plotted them across.

The day in the sun they soon would dry.

And I'd never tell the "boos."

So I fled away towards the field,

My mind on pleasure bent;

I tied a string upon each heel,

Then round the pond I went.

Oh how I did laugh and shout!

I floated till I felt tears.

My mind was free from every doubt,

And undisturbed by fears.

They floated the willows—bees before.

Far out upon the flood.

Then madly I approached the shore.

And anchored in the mud.

The shoes were long, but deep, and wide.

I filled them full of sand.

And standing on the other side.

I pulled them from the land.

But alas! for me—each spring a lead

And sank to the bottom.

But still I pulled—the string was weak.

And broke far from the shore.

Off came my clothes and in I went.

The waters round me rolled.

Towards the wreck my course I bent.

Regardless of the cold.

I plunged into the waters deep.

Nor did I think of pain.

With joy my troubled heart did leap.

As I sought the shore to gain.

I reached the bank and threw them down:

They were in an awful plight.

And as they lay upon the ground

My father hurn in sight.

He looked at them—he looked at me.

I felt stern, sternest eyes.

And said, like George of the cherry tree,

"Father, I cannot tell a lie."

"Put in a little too much sand."

I did it just for fun.

But he did not take my hand

And "thank God for such a son."

"You cannot tell a lie," said he.

"You cannot, that's a fact."

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THE SOUTH KENTUCKIAN.

CHAS. M. MEACHAM, EDITOR.

HOPKINSVILLE, DEC. 2, 1879.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR COMMONWEALTH'S ATTORNEY.

We are authorized to announce that the Commonwealth's Attorney, Hon. Jas. B. Garrett, will be elected at the next election August 1880.

Almanacs for 1880 are ripe.

The \$100,000 railroad proposition passed in Evansville by 2,036 majority.

The Glasgow Times already a first-class paper, will be enlarged Jan. 1st, to a nine column sheet.

Maj. Bristow of the Elkton Register, wants to organize a temperance society. Selah, yum yum.

We are placed under very many obligations to the agricultural commissioner for a report for the year 1878.

The Kentucky State Journal has purchased the Newport Leader from Mr. J. B. Quibby. The latter was a Republican organ.

The trial of Jno. H. Merkle last week at Clarksville, for the murder of Emma Drandt, was concluded, and the prisoner acquitted.

Who was Cain's wife? asks Rev. Hatfield, of New York. If my memory serves us right we think she was one of the Smith girls.—Dittoe.

Louisville was visited by a terrific tornado on the evening of Nov. 28 which did fearful damage to a portion of the city. It will be visited by another calamity on the 10th.

The radicals are beginning to ship negroes into Indiana in order to carry that State next year. They are beginning to import them about a month too late to be of service in November next.

We give our readers an original poem on the outside this week, for which we make no extra charge. It is intended as a Thanksgiving treat and is not likely to be followed by similar afflictions.

The State Journal says some pantaloons were found in the gutter at Newport one evening last week. It is no unusual thing for pantaloons to be found in the gutters of this city, but they generally have a man in them.

Gen. Grant has been offered the Presidency of the Nicaragua Canal Company and has announced that he will give his answer at Philadelphia Dec. 16. The salary is now \$25,000 and will probably be increased to \$50,000.

Last week we received a proposition to insert two advertisements in the same envelope, one payable in a "Hilly Bible" and the other in a "Hilly pistol." There may be times when we need these articles separately but we never used them both together.

They must have curious kinds of whiskey in Bath county. Abo Good-paster has seen a man descend from a cloudless sky and stand in air while, then return to his wheezy. We would be inclined to doubt this, but for the fact that the man who saw it was A. Goodpaster of the Methodist church.

We have seen a good deal of trouble in our short life. Have had some of our dearest friends die, our favorite candidate defeated, our girl to go back on us, our brightest effusions ridiculed, but we never knew what real sorrow was till the Louisville Commercial cut us off its exchange list.

The Louisville Democrat a handsome eight page weekly newspaper, of forty columns, will be furnished to subscribers for 1880, at \$1.50 postage prepaid, though really worth \$2.00. Each new subscriber gets choice of a line of handsome premiums. Sample copies free. Send for it once. Address W. H. Mumford, Editor, Louisville, Kentucky.

Railroads are aristocratic. They teach a man to know his own "station" and stop there.—N. Y. Ex. They are eminently social, too, being held together by many "ties." Western Rural. Also, religiously inclined, having many "sleepers" during service.—Henderson News. Though considered wealthy, it is a well-known fact that they "broke" every time a train passes over the road.—Guthrie Gazette.

Yes, and they break-breakers too, for they ride the passengers on "rails," ladies and all.

The Kentucky Intelligencer comes to hand this week bristling with news, and we are informed that the first is not a fair sample copy of what the paper will be. Here is the editorial apology:

We do not like to start with apologies for either sins of commission or of omission, but newspaper people, at least, will make allowances for the many difficulties surrounding a first issue of a paper with machinery without regulation, and an office without organization. Haste has made much waste, but all our influence goes to work, and if you doubt the tenor of it, there will be a better hatch hys-and-byes.

PEMBROKE.

Peace reigned on those hills a few

three hours ago, for the space of

Some of the boys of late have been shooting about town, after bed time to the annoyance of some of our citizens, but the police got so close after them the other night, they began to think it would prove expensive, and have not been guilty of the offense since.

We wish your Mississippi correspondent would not intend to "raise" cattle or the payment of the national debt, by one of our honorable citizens in such insulting terms. Just elect him and let him show you that he is a man of his word.

L. L. Murphy and Parker Wright got into a difficulty when the latter cut the former, inflicting a severe, though not dangerous wound.

Rev. C. W. Dicken, brother of E. N. Dicken, preached an able sermon at Bethel church last Sunday. He is young in the ministry, but bids fair to rise to the fore-front rank among the ministry.

For Commonwealth's Attorney, we are most emphatically for Garrett, first last and all the time. Every body holler for Garrett.

Our most enterprising citizen B. W. Bowers left this week for his new home beyond Elkton, in Todd. Mr. Tip Meale has moved into a new occupancy the residence Mr. Bowers left.

Mr. V. A. Garrett has moved into his new mansion and looks as comfortable and happy as a man would wish to be in this life.

Our enterprising citizen R. R. Bolinger has erected a saw mill near C. C. Reynolds, where he is doing a good business and is striking a death blow to the R. R. monopoly in the lumber line. Can this not be done all over the county, where there is a demand for rough lumber, and break down these high freight?

M. G. Miller, Gen. Bragg, and little fat Smith are all here yet, I would like to tell how our town has been crawling since our last, but I have no space to do so, and my eyes have the advantage of me this time but it will all come in my next.

SCHULDER.

CHURCH HILL.

Little mind.

Colds prevail.

No snow yet.

The business boom is a little slack.

Grange all day Friday.

Heavy rain and wind storm Thursday night.

Wonder if the hungry had plenty to eat Thanksgiving?

Lay in your supply of coal.

Apples are very scarce in this section.

Eggs are in demand.

Eggoging time approacheth.

Late snow what is coming up since the rain.

Time to think about Christmas presents, boys.

In a short time turkey will have to "give up the ghost."

The next thing in order is a condy-pulling.

A condy-pulling is spoken of. Several ladies already made application for membership.

They say "one chicken is killed in the Garrettsburg neighborhood who that big meeting progressed." It was shot at several times, but they couldn't reach the kind bird.

The "boss" glass ball shooting will take place here next Saturday at 1 o'clock, P. M. Other clubs are cordially invited.

The matrimonial boom is wending its way Newsteadward.

Dr. Eager got one of his ankles badly sprained one day last week, from which he suffers likewise.

The sportsmen have nearly exterminated the birds in this neighborhood.

Messrs. Dick Caudle, Sam White, J. P. Glass and others who went West a few weeks ago hunting returned last Tuesday.

Revs. Lewis and Alexander are holding a series of meetings at Lebanon. They hoped their efforts would be crowned with success, and they may accomplish much good.

SHORTFELLOW.

LETTONVILLE.

Something like a cyclone passed through this section Friday morning about 4 o'clock, destroying a great quantity of timber, blowing down houses, fences, etc. It struck Mr. George Lacey's buggy house, taking over the roof and breaking the buggy to pieces. It destroyed nearly all the buildings at Mr. Carpenter's, tearing down a large barn, destroying a great quantity of lumber, and blowing down a piece of timber on the head, but was not seriously hurt, although the wind was very violent. The storm came from the South-west, going in a North-eastern direction. It was about half past five.

Died, on the 29th of November, of consumption, Mr. Charlie Mosley, near Fairview; he was a very intelligent young man, naturally inspiring his poor parents and other friends with high hopes and expectations concerning his future life. These expectations were fully met in his life up to the period when fatal disease cast a dark shadow over the bright prospects, and an early death closed a life of unusual promise.

Died, on the same day, at Mr. White's, Miss George, infant son of Mr. David and Eliza Mason.

Married, on Wednesday, Nov. 27, Rev. Virgil Elgin to Miss Masie, at Chapel Hill Church. There will be a marriage of one of the Poulter belles soon, but as tickets are not out with untold names. The matrimonial fever is also booming.

The Pond river schools are closing for the winter.

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The Courier-Journal very appropriately remarks:

Let every Kentuckian remember the condition of the country at the penitentiary at Frankfort to-day, and resolve that every legislator he elect hold of shall be made to pledge himself to take prompt and effective action to relieve the Commonwealth of the disgrace and inhumanity embodied in the horrible, pestilence-breeding sweat-box.

STATE NEWS.

Frankfort is shipping flour to Eng-

land. Lebanon had an attempted jail escape last week.

General Grant's visit to Louisville will be about the 10th of December next.

The Standard regards it as a fixed fact that Lebanon will have gas works.

Lancaster has a lemon tree filled with fruit. It is five years old and has borne for three years.

The Green vs. Hargis case comes up in the court of Common Pleas, at Louisville, December 15.

Mayor Baxter reports that Louisville will have a surplus of 40,000, in her treasury at the end of this year.

From The Intelligencer.—Lebanon is to have gas light.

John White, of Grayson, has a 950 pound porker.

The tobacco crop in Mason is turning out better than expected.

Corn is a drug on the Calloway county market at \$1 per barrel.

The man accidentally shot while hunting, resides all over Kentucky just now.

James Shy, the noted tuffman, is dead at Lexington, aged 94. At last "Shy wins a heat."

Mount Sterling is to have a third paper, the Republican, John C. Wood, proprietor.

Kentucky is enjoying a railroad revival—largely on paper.

In Louisville a woman slept in a livery stable and in the morning rode a stallion off.

Magoffin Harlin has bought the Harrodsburg Observer and is now editor of that paper.

Latest accounts from the State prison announce that pretty much all the convicts are running off.

Lexington is to have an independent military company.

A Covington Colonel has just been arrested for log stealing.

Rev. Geo. O. Barnes has tackled Breathitt county, and will endeavor to regenerate it.

A negro minister immersed 95 candidates for baptism in 30 minutes, at Franklin last week, says the Patriot.

The hub and spoke factory at Paduch, Ky., was burned on the 12th of November. The loss is estimated at \$28,000.

Mountain Scorchers.—Miram Green, Esq., has laid upon our table a mammoth ensow, grown by him on Grassy Creek, that measured 3 feet in girth and 14 inches in diameter, and weighed 42 lbs.

Harrodsburg Herald.—We have engaged Mr. V. M. Metcalf to lecture for the benefit of those who may attend our corn and tobacco fair. He is thoroughly posted in agriculture, in all its phases, is decidedly practical in his notions and is a pleasant entertaining speaker.

Our fair will take place so soon as the season is suitable and gives the farmers a chance to select their best samples which can be done while stripping and husking. We will give due notice of the time through the paper.

Harrodsburg Observer.—The Grand Jury found 15 misdemeanors and 13 felonies. The Police Court does better than that every month.

Harrodsburg Observer.—We are informed that Harrodsburg is shortly to have a "Pianoforte Tromp," composed of home talent. Harrodsburg has fortunately, for many years escaped every epidemic. Not even has a sporadic case of fever occurred here, and we earnestly hope that something will prevent the introduction of this dread affliction.

Richmond Ky., Herald.—A man in Madison county went through the ordeal of having a bombshell burst in his hands just after the war. He was dreadfully mangled by the explosion, but recovered from his wounds. Some time after that he was shot through the body with a navy revolver, the ball passing in at the breast, and out at the back. Some few weeks ago the same man was driving a wagon with a heavy saw log on it, and he and the saw log rolled off together, the saw log passing over his body, crushing him in a frightful manner, from which he has been confined to his bed for several weeks, but is now out, as hale and hearty as ever.

Frankfort, November 27.—The body of Hezekiah Gardner, the missing man, who it was supposed was murdered by the ex-convict Wilson, was this morning discovered floating in the river, three and a half miles above the city, and far from his own farm. Although it had been in the water nearly three weeks the body was well preserved, and there was no evidence that death had been caused by violence. His money and papers were all found upon his person, and the Coroner's jury brought in a verdict of death from drowning. Gardner was drunk and staggered over the cliff and into the water. This is the only legitimate conclusion, Wilson is in jail charged with arson and under suspicion of having murdered the child, whose remains were found in the debris of the fire, but the finding of Gardner's body is a proof that he had no motive for treason or for murder against him.

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\$25 Sewing Machine!

The usual \$65 machine reduced to \$25

Home and Wagon Free to Agents.

\$150 Per Week Made Easy.

It makes the shuttle, double-thread, lock-stitch, the same on both sides of the work, which is the most perfect and reliable of all.

It is complete with a LACON and a variety of attachments for the work. It is an easy and pleasant machine to operate, and requires the least care, produces every variety of work, and will stand the next to the best of the world.

Use it once and you will see no other. The money cheerfully refunded if it will not work, and no charge for return.

Each machine thoroughly warranted with written guarantee for five years. Kept in the hands of the manufacturer, and used in the most satisfactory manner.

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WASHINGTON, Nov. 28, 1879.

The event of the last week here was the re-nomination of the Army of the Cumberland and the unveiling of the Thomas Statue. Since the late war there has not been such a military display at the Capital, nor an occasion which called forth so much universal patriotism. The most agreeable feature of the demonstration was his entire freedom from even a suspicion of politics or any selfish motive. It was simply and solely a tribute to the memory of a patriot soldier, one who faithfully and honestly devoted his great abilities to the service of his country, and who quietly trod the path of duty even when it was made rugged and steep by the acts of smaller men in higher places. Nearly every prominent officer in the regular army except Gen. Sherman and Howard was present, and the procession had them all, including Gen. Sherman and Hancock with their Staffs, in ranks, with various Corps and veteran organizations. Mr. Hayes, Speaker Randall, Clerk of the House, Adams, and other officials occupied prominent positions. To Mr. Randall the committee of invitation paid a high compliment by referring to the fact that he was one of the first to recognize the abilities and worth of Gen. Thomas. For a detailed account of the ceremonies it is perhaps too late and the space of this letter too limited. Old Virginia, the mother of Presidents and of many patriots, in this demonstration in honor of her son, bridges over the painful periods of her secession from the Union and is resurrected as the loyal, grand Old Dominion.

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Intemperance.

Intemperance is a great evil, and should be carefully avoided by all the friends of peace, prosperity, happiness and concord. Indeed, it is nothing more than perfect absurdity to suppose intoxicating liquors are beneficial to the human race. No doubt the greater part of mankind are of the impression that intoxicating liquors are somewhat injurious to the human family, but it is an unquestionable fact that they are not aware of the mischief, and misadventures that have been occasioned by the strong arm of intemperance. Were we to travel throughout the length and breadth of the civilized world and discover the graves of the eminent, and of those whose voices have been heard in the Legislative, and in the halls of Congress whose deaths have been occasioned by the pernicious sin of intoxicating liquors, it would almost be sufficient to make the blood run cold within the veins of humanity. It would be sufficient to convince the most obstinate man or woman that ever made footprints upon the face of the earth that intemperance has been and is now daily being destructive to the human family. Perhaps it would require a Clay or a Calhoun or a Demosthenes to give this subject justice. Let it be sufficient to say however, that this abominable Alcohol, the servant of the prince of the powers of the air, is one of the most powerful and deadly foes that ever rushed upon humanity from the realms of darkness. It is even true that this filthy demon has done more towards replenishing the lower regions with human souls than any other enemy of the human race. The service of Alcohol is disadvantageous under almost all circumstances. Multitudes of the mighty have felt, and are still feeling the power of his arm. The influence of this cruel monster has exerted over the world and over mankind has almost been sufficient to shake the earth from center to circumference. Wherever Alcohol locates it is a symbol of destruction, a symbol of utter annihilation. Let all men abandon his service fly to the cold water regions where there is safety. 2 Dec. 1. GEORGE D. SIMMONS.

Too Fond of Herring.

"John McWilliams, what were you going to do with so many herring? You had a whole box when the officer overhauled you coming from the Reading railroad depot, at Nol. street wharf," said Magistrate Kerr, as he bent his judicial gaze upon a scolding individual yesterday morning.

"Well, Judge, I'll tell you. You see, there's a hard winter coming on, and I want to follow, and you know, herring for breakfast it takes you a long time to get away with the bones. By the time you're through the dinner hour comes around, and by that time the fish begin to feel dry and must have something to swim in. Well, you get dry and stay dry all day, and you make your dinner and supper on water, if you can't get somebody to shoot for the beer."

"Should for the beer? Why do you have to shoot for the beer? Are the bar-tenders all deaf?"

"No, no, Judge, you don't drop to the racket. What I mean by shootin' is settlin' 'em up."

"Well, I'm just as much at sea as ever with your shooting and settlin' 'em up," remarked the Court, "I guess you'll have to go down in the van. A man that's constitutionally dry as you are would require the Fairmount reservoir or a brewery on top all the time to keep him supplied with potables."

John went down without his box of herrings.

Senator Chandler's Last Speech.

(From the Baltimore Sun.)

The speech delivered by Senator Chandler in Chicago on Friday night last was devoted chiefly to a denunciation of the "Oblo idea," and a defense of the national bank system. He asked the question, "Are we or are we not a nation?" and went over the history of the late war, claiming that the Republican party had saved the country. In view of his death a few hours afterwards the following words he used have now a peculiar significance. He said: "After we have done all this we are told that we ought to die. If there was ever a political organization on God's earth which, so far as future punishment is concerned, is prepared to die, it is that old Republican party. But we ain't going to die yet. We have made other arrangements." Senator Chandler, at the close of his speech, in referring to the election in Chicago to-morrow said: "On the night of the election, Mr. Chairman, send me a dispatch, if you please, that Chicago has gone overwhelmingly Republican."

We were exposed last week to a pitiless storm, that wet our feet and stockings, and indeed our person all over. In fact we took a cracking cold, which brought sore throat and severe symptoms of fever. The good wife asserted her authority, plunged our feet into hot water, wrapped us in hot blankets, and sent our faithful son for a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. It is a splendid medicine—pleasant to take, and did the job. We slept soundly through the night and awoke well the next morning. We know we owe our quick recovery to the Pectoral, and shall not hesitate to recommend it to all who need such a medicine.—(Tehacacua (Texas.) Presbyter.

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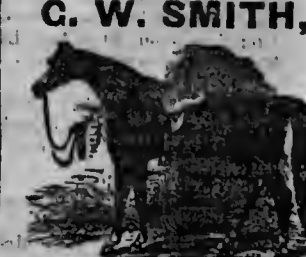
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Intemperance.

Intemperance is a great evil, and should be carefully avoided by all the friends of peace, prosperity, happiness and concord. Indeed, it is nothing more than perfect absurdity to suppose intoxicating liquors are beneficial to the human race. No doubt the greater part of mankind are of the impression that intoxicating liquors are somewhat injurious to the human family but it is an unquestionable fact that they are not aware of the mischief, and misdemeanors that have been occasioned by the strong arm of intemperance. Were we to travel throughout the length and breadth of the civilized world and discover the graves of the eminent, and of those whose voices have been heard in the Legislative, and in the halls of Congress whose deaths have been occasioned by the pernicious sin of intoxicating liquors, it would almost be sufficient to make the blood run cold within the veins of humanity. It would be sufficient to convince the most obstinate man or woman that ever made footprints upon the face of the earth that intemperance has been and is now daily being destructive to the human family. Perhaps it would require a Clay a Calhoun or a Demosthenes to give this subject justice. Let it be sufficient to say however, that this abominable Alcohol, the servant of the prince of the powers of the air, is one of the most powerful and deadly foes that ever rushed upon humanity from the realms of darkness. It is even true that this filthy demon has done more towards replenishing the lower regions with human souls than any other enemy of the human race. The service of Alcohol is disavantaged under almost all circumstances. Multitudes of the mighty have felt, and are daily feeling the power of his arm. The influence this cruel monster has exerted over the world and over mankind has almost been sufficient to shake the earth from center to circumference. Wherever Alcohol locates it is a symbol of destruction, symbolical of utter annihilation. Let all men abandon his service fly to the cold water regions where there is safety. 2Declw.] Groomer D. Simmons.

Too Fond of Herring.

"John McWilliams, what were you going to do with so many herring? You had a whole box when the officer overhauled you coming from the Reading railroad depot, at Nol's street wharf," said Magistrate Kerr, as he bent his judicial gaze upon a seedy-looking individual yesterday morning.

"Well, Judge, I'll tell you. You see, there's a hard winter coming on. Lent will follow, and, you know, herring for breakfast it takes you a long time to get away with the bones. By the time you're through the dinner hour comes around, and by that time the fish begin to feel dry and must have something to swim in. Well, you get dry and stay dry all day, and you make your dinner and supper on water, if you can't get somebody to shout for the beer."

"Shout for the beer? Why do you have to shout for the beer? Are the bar-tenders all deaf?"

"No, no, Judge, you don't drop to the racket. What I mean by shoutin' is settin' 'em up."

Well, I'm just as much at sea as ever with your shouting and setting 'em up," remarked the Court, "I guess you'll have to go down in the van. A man that constitutionally dries as you are would require the Fairmount reservoir or a brewery on top all the time to keep him supplied with potatoes."

John went down without his box of herrings.

Senator Chandler's Last Speech.

(From the Baltimore Sun.) The speech delivered by Senator Chandler in Chicago on Friday night last was devoted chiefly to a denunciation of the "Ohio idea," and a defense of the national bank system. He asked the question, "Are we or are we not a nation?" and went over the history of the late war, claiming that the Republican party had saved the country. In view of his death a few hours afterwards the following words he used have now a peculiar significance. He said: "After we have done all this we are told that we ought to die. If there was ever a political organization on God's earth which, so far as future punishment is concerned, is prepared to die, it is that old Republican party. But we ain't going to die yet. We have made other arrangements." Senator Chandler, at the close of his speech, in referring to the election in Chicago to-morrow said: "On the night of the election, Mr. Chairman, send me a dispatch, if you please, that Chicago has gone overwhelmingly Republican."

We were exposed last week to a pitiless storm, that wet our feet and stockings, and indeed our person all over. In fact we took a cracking cold, which brought sore throat and severe symptoms of fever. The good wife asserted her authority, plunged our feet into hot water, wrapped us in hot blankets, and sent our faithful sun for a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. It is a splendid medicine—pleasant to take, and did the job. We slept soundly through the night and awoke well the next morning. We know we owe our quick recovery to the Pectoral, and shall not hesitate to recommend it to all who need such a medicine. —[Tehuacana (Texas) Presbyterian.

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The Next Senate.

The following named Senators will retire on the 4th of March, 1881. N Booth, R, Cal; W Sharon, R Nev; W W Eaton, D, Conn; T F Randolph, D, N J; T F Bayard, D, Del; F Kernan, D, N Y; C W Jones, D, Fla; A G Thurman, D, Ohio; J E McDonald, D, Ind; W A Wallace, D, Pa; H Hamlin, R, Me; A E Burdette, R, R I; W P Whyte, Md; J E Bailey, D, Tenn; H L Hawes, R, Mass; S B Maxey, D, Texas; H P Baldwin, R, Mich; G F Edmunds, R, Vt; S J R McMillan, R, Minn; R E Withers, D, Va; B R Bruce, R, Miss; F Herford, D, W Va; F M Cockrell, D, Mo; A Cameron, R, Wis; A S Paddock, R, Neb. Republicans, 11; Democrats, 14. Of the succession the Republicans are reasonably certain to elect 14; the Democrats can count on only 9. From Indiana and New Jersey it is not safe to say which party will secure the Senators; should the Democrats in New Jersey triumph and the Republicans in Indiana, the Senate will stand 39 Democrats and 37 Republicans on March 4, 1881; should the Republicans elect in both Indiana and New Jersey, the Senate would be a tie, with the Vice President casting the deciding vote. —[Post and News.

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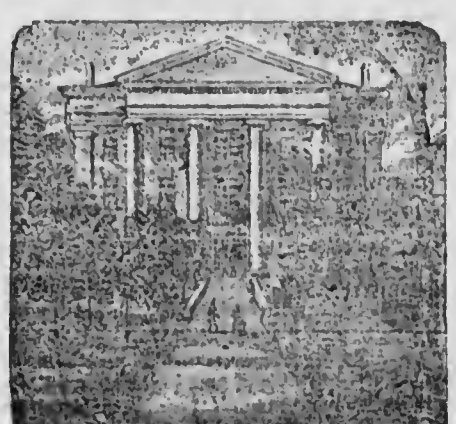
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